BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NOS. 2005-83-A 2022-162-E 2023-15-E 2023-16-E 2023-17-E

dministrative and Procedural Matters)	CAROLINAS CLEAN ENERGY
Above-Referenced Dockets)	BUSINESS ASSOCIATION'S
)	COMMENTS AND REQUEST TO
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NOW COMES the Carolinas Clean Energy Business Association ("CCEBA"), in response to the May 23, 2022 Notice of Forum issued by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina Staff, and requests that CCEBA be allowed to participate in the June 15, 2022 Forum discussing the draft procedural schedules, attached to the Notice for the above dockets.

CCEBA suggests that Forum participants carefully consider the timing of the IRP and Avoided Cost hearings, particularly those that are listed on the Staff's draft procedural schedules in July and August of 2023. The succession of hearings tentatively set for those months in the draft schedules will be, in CCEBA's opinion, burdensome on participants, intervenors, staff and Commissioners.

In addition, CCEBA will work with other Intervenors and docket participants in advance of the Forum to discuss options for long-term scheduling of IRP and avoided cost matters for each regulated utility, so that such schedules are staggered to allow reasonable participation by all parties. CCEBA looks forward to discussing those options during the Forum.

Respectfully submitted this 1st day of June 2022.

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